GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Services – Police Department– Representation of Sri S. Dhanunjaya Raju, HC 216/TU (996/CT) of Tirumala CCS, Tirumala, Chittoor District, against the punishment of "Censure", besides treating the suspension period from 14-06-1996 to 07-06-1997 as L.W.P.", awarded by the S.P., Chittoor – Set aside – Orders – Issued.

HOME (SERVICES-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1298 Dated: 27 -5 - 2013
Read the following:

1)Representation of Sri S. Dhanunjaya Raju, HC 216/TU (996/CT) of Tirumala CCS, PS, Chittoor District, dt.03-11-2011, received through M(Home) with No.8745/M(Home)/2011, dtd.16-11-2011.

2)Govt.Memo.No.33357/Ser-II/A1/2011, dtd.28-11-2011.

3)From The D.G.P., A.P, Hyderabad, RC.No. 4547/Appeal -4/2011, dated. 13-12-2012.

ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, Sri K S. Dhanunjaya Raju, HC 216/TU (996/CT) of Tirumala CCS, PS, Chittoor District, has requested the Government to set aside the punishment of "Censure" awarded on him, and to regularize the suspension period from 14-06-1996 to 02-06-1997 as 'On Duty' or as E.O.L..

2. In the reference 3rd read above, the Director General of Police, AP, Hyderabad, has informed that Sri S. Dhanunjaya Raju, HC 216/TU (996/CT) of CCS, Tirumala was as dealt with on a charge under Rule-20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 for the following delinquency:-

"Exhibited gross misconduct being a member of disciplined force approached the smugglers went to K. Nagar P.S. influenced the Police, brought the lorry to Srinivasa Rice Mill, Puttur unloaded 80 bags of paddy and got a case registered vide C.No.28/1996, U/s 7 (1) of E.C. Act of K. Nagar P.S. for the remaining 100 bags of paddy at K. Nagar P.S. and further arranged a lorry No.AAD 1989 to transport the said 80 bags of paddy which was stored in Srinivasa Rice Mill after mediation with K. Nagar Police, VCCSD Officials caught at K.B.R. Puram Check Post and arrested the lorry owner K. Balaram, B. Nagaraju, Paddy owner, B. Kumar (driver) and M. Ravi (cleaner), who gave confessional statement in the presence of punch witnesses and the delinquent assisted the smugglers in transporting the paddy from Andhra Pradesh to Tamil Nadu."

- 3. The Addl. Superintendent of Police, Tirupathi who was appointed as E.O. conducted the Enquiry against the Charged Officer and held the charge proved. Agreeing with the findings of the E.O., the Disciplinary authority i.e., the Superintendent of Police, Chittoor duly following the procedure prescribed in the A.P.C.S (CC&A) Rules, imposed the punishment of 'Censure' and treated the suspension period from 14-06-1996 to 07-06-1997 as L.W.P. in Procgs.C.No.A7/OEPR/126/1996, dated:09-06-2004. Aggrieved by the above orders, the petitioner preferred an Appeal petition to the Appellate authority i.e., the Deputy Inspector General of Police, Anantapur Range, Anantapur which was considered and rejected, in Procgs.C.No.120/C2/Appl/RO/2004 (ROO.No.321/2010), dated:01-11-2010. Aggrieved by the above orders of the Appellate authority, the petitioner submitted a revision petition to the Revision authority i.e., the Inspector General of Police (L&O), Rayalaseema Region, Hyderabad, which was considered and rejected in Procgs.L.Dis.No.65/L&O/RR-II/2011, dtd:01-10-2011. Now, the petitioner has submitted a mercy petition to the Government, as he has exhausted the channels of appeal and revision prescribed in the APCS (CC&A) Rules.
- 4. After careful examination of the entire matter, with the records made available, Government have considered the request of Sri S. Dhanunjaya Raju, HC 216/TU (996/CT) of Tirumala CCS, Tirumala, Chittoor District, and **hereby set aside** the punishment of "Censure". Further, the period of suspension from 14-06-1996 to 07-06-1997 is treated as "On Duty".
- 5. The original O.E. records, received in the reference 3rd read above, are herewith returned to the Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad, and he is requested to acknowledge the receipt of the same to Government.
- 6. The Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad, is requested to take necessary further action, in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANHDRA PRADESH)

T.P.DAS PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To The Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad (with records) The individual concerned through D.G.P., AP., Hyderabad SF/SC

// FORWARDED:: BY ORDER //